

CITY OF WALNUT CREEK, CA 2012

Benchmark Report





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UNDERSTANDING THE BENCHMARK COMPARISONS

COMPARISON DATA

NRC's database of comparative resident opinion is comprised of resident perspectives gathered in citizen surveys from approximately 500 jurisdictions whose residents evaluated local government services and gave their opinion about the quality of community life. The comparison evaluations are from the most recent survey completed in each jurisdiction; most communities conduct surveys every year or in alternating years. NRC adds the latest results quickly upon survey completion, keeping the benchmark data fresh and relevant.

The jurisdictions in the database represent a wide geographic and population range as shown in the table below.

Jurisdiction Characteristic	Percent of Jurisdictions
Region	
West Coast ¹	17%
West ²	20%
North Central West ³	11%
North Central East ⁴	13%
South Central ⁵	7%
South ⁶	26%
Northeast West ⁷	2%
Northeast East ⁸	4%
Population	
Less than 40,000	46%
40,000 to 74,999	19%
75,000 to 149,000	17%
150,000 or more	18%

¹ Alaska, Washington, Oregon, California, Hawaii

² Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico

³ North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Missouri, Minnesota

⁴ Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin

⁵ Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas

⁶ West Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, North Carolina, Maryland, Delaware, Washington DC

⁷ New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey

⁸ Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont, Maine

PUTTING EVALUATIONS ONTO THE 100-POINT SCALE

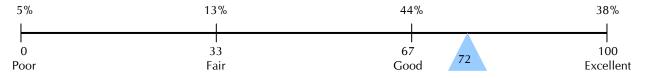
Although responses to many of the evaluative questions were made on a four point scale with 1 representing the best rating and 4 the worst, the benchmarks are reported on a common scale where 0 is the worst possible rating and 100 is the best possible rating. The 95 percent confidence interval around an average score on the 100-point scale is no greater than plus or minus two points based on all respondents.

The 100-point scale is not a percent. It is a conversion of responses to an average rating. Each response option is assigned a value that is used in calculating the average score. For example, "excellent" = 100, "good" = 67, "fair" = 33 and "poor" = 0. If everyone reported "excellent," then the average rating would be 100 on the 100-point scale. Likewise, if all respondents gave a "poor", the result would be 0 on the 100-point scale. If half the respondents gave a score of "excellent" and half gave a score of "poor," the average would be in the middle of the scale (like the center post of a teeter totter) between "fair" and "good." An example of how to convert survey frequencies into an average rating appears below.

Example of Converting Responses to the 100-point Scale

	How do you rate the community as a place to live?							
Response option	Total with "don't know"	Step1: Remove the percent of "don't know" responses	Total without "don't know"	Step 2: Assign scale values	Step 3: Multiply the percent by the scale value	Step 4: Sum to calculate the average rating		
Excellent	36%	= 36 ÷ (100-5) =	38%	100	= 38% x 100 =	38		
Good	42%	= 42 ÷ (100-5) =	44%	67	= 44% x 67 =	30		
Fair	12%	= 12 ÷ (100-5) =	13%	33	= 13% x 33 =	4		
Poor	5%	= 5 ÷ (100-5) =	5%	0	= 5 % x 0 =	0		
Don't know	5%							
Total	100%		100%			72		

How do you rate the community as a place to live?



INTERPRETING THE RESULTS

Average ratings are compared when similar questions are included in NRC's database, and there are at least five jurisdictions in which the question was asked. Where comparisons are available, three numbers are provided in the table. The first column is your jurisdiction's rating on the 100-point scale. The second column is the rank assigned to your jurisdiction's rating among jurisdictions where a similar question was asked. The third column is the number of jurisdictions that asked a similar question. The final column shows the comparison of your jurisdiction's average rating to the benchmark.

Where comparisons for quality ratings were available, the City of Walnut Creek's results were generally noted as being "above" the benchmark, "below" the benchmark or "similar" to the benchmark. For some questions – those related to resident behavior, circumstance or to a local problem – the comparison to the benchmark is designated as "more," "similar" or "less" (for example, the percent of crime victims, residents visiting a park or residents identifying code enforcement as a problem.) In instances where ratings are considerably higher or lower than the benchmark, these ratings have been further demarcated by the attribute of "much," (for example, "much less" or "much above"). These labels come from a statistical comparison of the City of Walnut Creek's rating to the benchmark where a rating is considered "similar" if it is within the margin of error; "above," "below," "more" or "less" if the difference between your jurisdiction's rating and the benchmark is greater the margin of error; and "much above," "much below," "much more" or "much less" if the difference between your jurisdiction's rating and the benchmark is more than twice the margin of error.

This report contains benchmarks at the national level.

NATIONAL BENCHMARK COMPARISONS

Overall Community Quality Benchmarks						
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark		
Overall quality of life in Walnut						
Creek	82	18	409	Much above		
Your neighborhood as place to live	81	23	270	Much above		
Walnut Creek as a place to live	87	15	341	Much above		
Recommend living in Walnut Creek to someone who asks	89	12	180	Much above		
Remain in Walnut Creek for the next five years	87	11	179	Much above		

Community Transportation Benchmarks						
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark		
Ease of car travel in Walnut Creek	47	202	267	Much below		
Ease of bus travel in Walnut Creek	48	80	187	Above		
Ease of BART travel in Walnut Creek	72	7	51	Much above		
Ease of bicycle travel in Walnut Creek	66	22	258	Much above		
Ease of walking in Walnut Creek	73	21	260	Much above		
Availability of paths and walking trails	78	9	176	Much above		
Traffic flow on major streets	36	195	244	Much below		

Frequency of Bus Use Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison benchmark						
Ridden a local bus within Walnut Creek 33 39 160 Much more						

Drive Alone Benchmarks					
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions Comparison to benchmark					
Average percent of work commute trips made by driving alone	57	159	170	Much less	

Transportation and Parking Services Benchmarks							
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark			
Street repair	54	102	394	Much above			
Street cleaning	63	61	273	Much above			
Street lighting	62	37	301	Much above			
Sidewalk maintenance	56	72	256	Much above			
Traffic signal timing	48	84	211	Similar			
Bus or transit services	55	73	199	Much above			
Amount of public parking	44	117	204	Similar			

Housing Characteristics Benchmarks					
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison to benchmark					
Availability of affordable quality housing	37	195	280	Much below	
Variety of housing options	57	61	169	Above	

Housing Costs Benchmarks										
Walnut Creek Number of Jurisdictions Comparison to average rating Rank for Comparison benchmark										
Experiencing housing costs stress (housing costs 30% or MORE of										
income)	36	96	174	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·						

Built Environment Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for comparison to benchmark						
Quality of new development in Walnut Creek	65	25	245	Much above		
Overall appearance of Walnut Creek	78	13	314	Much above		

Population Growth Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison to average rating Rank Comparison benchmark						
Population growth seen as too fast 37 135 227 Much less						

Nuisance Problems Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek average rating Rank for Comparison benchmark						
Run down buildings, weed lots and junk vehicles seen as a "major"						
problem	2	220	229	Much less		

Planning and Community Code Enforcement Services Benchmarks							
Walnut Creek average rating Rank For Comparison benchmark							
Land use, planning and zoning	55	36	274	Much above			
Code enforcement (weeds, abandoned buildings, etc.)	59	40	337	Much above			
Animal control	64	28	298	Much above			

Economic Sustainability and Opportunities Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek average rating Rank for Comparison benchmark						
Employment opportunities	48	34	277	Much above		
Shopping opportunities	84	6	262	Much above		
Walnut Creek as a place to work	74	12	299	Much above		
Overall quality of business and service establishments in Walnut Creek	74	4	164	Much above		

Economic Development Services Benchmarks							
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison benchmark							
Economic development	61	15	261	Much above			

	Job and Retail Growth Benchmarks							
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison benchmark								
Retail growth seen as too slow	10	218	226	Much less				
Jobs growth seen as too slow	72	151	229	Less				

Personal Economic Future Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Comparison Comparison benchmark						
Positive impact of economy on household income	22	45	222	Above		

Community and Personal Public Safety Benchmarks							
	Walnut Creek average rating	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		Comparison to benchmark			
In your neighborhood during the day	93	59	311	Much above			
In your neighborhood after dark	79	77	303	Much above			
In Walnut Creek's downtown area during the day	93	29	262	Much above			
In Walnut Creek's downtown area after dark	75	60	272	Much above			
Violent crime (e.g., rape, assault, robbery)	82	62	264	Much above			
Property crimes (e.g., burglary, theft)	68	100	264	Much above			
Environmental hazards, including toxic waste	81	48	176	Much above			

	Crime Victimization and Reporting Benchmarks							
	Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison to benchmark							
Victim of crime	12	125	232	Similar				
Reported crimes	82	85	230	More				

Public	Public Safety Services Benchmarks						
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark			
Police services	78	29	389	Much above			
Fire services	83	37	314	Much above			
Ambulance or emergency medical services	84	25	313	Much above			
Crime prevention	67	64	318	Much above			
Traffic enforcement	59	128	335	Above			
Emergency preparedness (services that prepare the community for natural disasters or other emergency situations)	60	74	197	Above			

Contact with Police and Fire Departments Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek Surisdictions for average rating Rank Comparison						
Had contact with the City of Walnut Creek Police Department	26	67	72	Much less		
Overall impression of most recent contact with the City of Walnut Creek Police Department	72	19	80	Much above		

Community Environment Benchmarks						
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark		
Cleanliness of Walnut Creek	77	18	179	Much above		
Quality of overall natural environment in Walnut Creek	74	21	180	Much above		
Preservation of natural areas such as open space, farmlands and greenbelts	74	3	180	Much above		
Air quality	65	83	216	Much above		

Frequency of Recycling Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison average rating Rank Comparison benchmark						
Recycled used paper, cans or bottles from your home	97	11	215	Much more		

Utility Services Benchmarks						
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark		
Power (electric and/or gas) utility	68	29	95	Above		
Sewer services	71	23	269	Much above		
Drinking water	75	9	279	Much above		
Storm drainage	66	22	324	Much above		
Yard waste pick-up	75	19	230	Much above		
Recycling	76	42	313	Much above		
Garbage collection	74	87	334	Above		

Community Recreational Opportunities Benchmarks					
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison benchmark					
Recreation opportunities	74	26	273	Much above	

Participation in Parks and Recreation Opportunities Benchmarks					
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark	
Used Walnut Creek community centers	44	167	185	Much less	
Participated in a recreation program or activity	48	94	216	Similar	
Visited a neighborhood park or City park	88	91	223	Similar	

Parks and Recreation Services Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison average rating Rank Comparison benchmark						
City parks	80	24	293	Much above		
Recreation programs or classes	71	57	302	Much above		
Recreation centers or facilities	70	46	244	Much above		

Cultural and Educational Opportunities Benchmarks					
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for benchmark Comparison					
Opportunities to attend cultural activities	68	19	278	Much above	
Educational opportunities	62	69	229	Much above	

Participation in Cultural and Educational Opportunities Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek Number of Jurisdictions Comparison to average rating Rank for Comparison benchmark						
Used Walnut Creek public libraries or their services	73	80	194	Similar		
Participated in religious or spiritual activities in Walnut Creek	42	100	121	Much less		

Cultural and Educational Services Benchmarks							
Walnut Creek average Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison to benchmark							
Public schools	70	56	230	Much above			
Public library services	80	36	301	Much above			

Community Health and Wellness Access and Opportunities Benchmarks					
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark	
Availability of affordable quality health care	64	15	220	Much above	
Availability of affordable quality food	72	5	165	Much above	
Availability of preventive health services	67	10	137	Much above	

Health and Wellness Services Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison benchmark						
Health services	73	5	183	Much above		

Community Quality and Inclusiveness Benchmarks					
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark	
Sense of community	65	59	279	Much above	
Availability of affordable quality child care	43	110	216	Similar	
Walnut Creek as a place to raise kids	82	36	338	Much above	
Walnut Creek as a place to retire	74	18	323	Much above	

Services Provided for Population Subgroups Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison to benchmark						
Services to seniors	71	17	275	Much above		
Services to youth	62	60	251	Much above		
Services to low income people	42	151	220	Below		

Civic Engagement Opportunities Benchmarks					
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for benchmark Comparison					
Opportunities to participate in community matters	62	47	171	Much above	
Opportunities to volunteer	68	50	170	Above	

Participation in Civic Engagement Opportunities Benchmarks						
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark		
Attended a meeting of local elected officials or other local public meeting	20	186	226	Much less		
Watched a meeting of local elected officials or other public meeting on cable television, the Internet or other media	37	107	183	Less		
Volunteered your time to some group or activity in Walnut Creek	42	132	226	Less		
Participated in a club or civic group in Walnut Creek	32	59	144	Similar		
Provided help to a friend or neighbor	95	56	142	Similar		

Voter Behavior Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison benchmark						
Registered to vote	85	108	231	Similar		
Voted in last general election	82	41	230	Much more		

Use of Information Sources Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison to average rating Rank Comparison benchmark						
Read "In a Nutshell" Newsletter	89	46	166	Much more		
Visited the City of Walnut Creek Web site 53 132 167 Much less						

Local Government Media Services and Information Dissemination Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek average Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison to benchmark						
Cable television	60	14	174	Much above		

Social Engagement Opportunities Benchmarks					
Walnut Creek Number of Jurisdictions Comparison to average rating Rank for Comparison benchmark					
Opportunities to participate in social events and activities	66	24	168	Much above	

Contact with Immediate Neighbors Benchmarks					
Walnut Creek Number of Jurisdictions Comparison to average rating Rank for Comparison benchmark					
Has contact with neighbors at least several times per week	51	59	162	Similar	

Public Trust Benchmarks						
	Walnut Creek average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark		
Value of services for the taxes paid to Walnut Creek	64	22	360	Much above		
The overall direction that Walnut Creek is taking	61	35	295	Much above		
Job Walnut Creek government does at welcoming citizen involvement	57	36	299	Much above		
Overall image or reputation of Walnut Creek	80	13	289	Much above		

Services Provided by Local, State and Federal Governments Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek Number of Jurisdictions Comparison average rating Rank for Comparison benchmark						
Services provided by the City of Walnut Creek	73	29	390	Much above		
Services provided by the Federal Government	41	120	236	Similar		
Services provided by the State Government	37	204	238	Much below		
Services provided by Contra Costa County Government	50	84	149	Similar		

Contact with City Employees Benchmarks					
Walnut Creek Number of Jurisdictions Comparison to average rating Rank for Comparison benchmark					
Had contact with City employee(s) in last 12 months 32 255 263 Much less					

Perceptions of City Employees (Among Those Who Had Contact) Benchmarks						
Walnut Creek average rating Rank Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison to benchmark						
Knowledge	79	22	301	Much above		
Responsiveness	78	17	296	Much above		
Courteousness	78	36	247	Much above		
Overall impression	75	44	346	Much above		

JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED IN NATIONAL BENCHMARK COMPARISONS

Valdez, AK	3 076	Newport Beach, CA	85 186
Auburn, AL		Palm Springs, CA	
Gulf Shores, AL	•	Palo Alto, CA	
Tuskegee, AL		Poway, CA	
Vestavia Hills, AL		Rancho Cordova, CA	
Fayetteville, AR	-	Richmond, CA	
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Little Rock, AR		San Diego, CA	
Avondale, AZ		San Francisco, CA	
Casa Grande, AZ	-	San Jose, CA	
Chandler, AZ	•	San Luis Obispo County, CA	
Cococino County, AZ		San Mateo, CA	
Dewey-Humboldt, AZ		San Rafael, CA	
Flagstaff, AZ		Santa Monica, CA	,
Florence, AZ	•	Seaside, CA	
Gilbert, AZ		South Lake Tahoe, CA	
Goodyear, AZ		Stockton, CA	
Green Valley, AZ		Sunnyvale, CA	
Kingman, AZ	-	Temecula, CA	
Marana, AZ	•	Thousand Oaks, CA	,
Maricopa County, AZ		Visalia, CA	
Mesa, AZ	, ,	Adams County, CO	
Peoria, AZ		Arapahoe County, CO	
Phoenix, AZ		Archuleta County, CO	,
Pinal County, AZ	-	Arvada, CO	,
Prescott Valley, AZ	•	Aspen, CO	6,658
Queen Creek, AZ	26,361	Aurora, CO	,
Scottsdale, AZ	•	Boulder, CO	,
Sedona, AZ	10,031	Boulder County, CO	
Surprise, AZ	11 <i>7,</i> 51 <i>7</i>	Breckenridge, CO	
Tempe, AZ	161,719	Broomfield, CO	
Yuma, AZ	93,064	Centennial, CO	
Yuma County, AZ	195,751	Clear Creek County, CO	9,088
Apple Valley, CA	69,135	Colorado Springs, CO	416,427
Benicia, CA	26,997	Commerce City, CO	45,913
Brea, CA	39,282	Craig, CO	9,464
Brisbane, CA	4,282	Crested Butte, CO	1,487
Burlingame, CA	28,806	Denver, CO	600,158
Carlsbad, CA	105,328	Douglas County, CO	285,465
Chula Vista, CA	243,916	Durango, CO	16,887
Concord, CA	122,067	Eagle County, CO	
Coronado, CA	-	Edgewater, CO	,
Cupertino, CA		El Paso County, CO	
Davis, CA		Englewood, CO	,
Del Mar, CA		Estes Park, CO	
Dublin, CA		Fort Collins, CO	
El Cerrito, CA		Frisco, CO	
Elk Grove, CA		Fruita, CO	
Galt, CA		Georgetown, CO	
La Mesa, CA		Gilpin County, CO	
Laguna Beach, CA		Golden, CO	
Livermore, CA		Grand County, CO	
Lodi, CA		Greenwood Village, CO	
Long Beach, CA		Gunnison County, CO	
Lynwood, CA		Highlands Ranch, CO	
Menlo Park, CA		Hot Sulphur Springs, CO	
Mission Viejo, CA		Hudson, CO	
Mountain View, CA	/4,U00	Jackson County, CO	1,394

Jefferson County, CO	534.543	Pasco County, FL	464.697
Lafayette, CO	,	Pinellas County, FL	
Lakewood, CO		Pinellas Park, FL	,
Larimer County, CO		Port Orange, FL	
Lone Tree, CO	· ·	Port St. Lucie, FL	
Longmont, CO	· ·	Sanford, FL	,
Louisville, CO		Sarasota, FL	,
Loveland, CO		Seminole, FL	,
Mesa County, CO		South Daytona, FL	
Montrose, CO	•	St. Cloud, FL	
Northglenn, CO		Tallahassee, FL	
Park County, CO		Titusville, FL	
Parker, CO		Volusia County, FL	
Pitkin County, CO	· ·	Walton County, FL	
Pueblo, CO		Winter Garden, FL	,
Salida, CO		Winter Park, FL	
Steamboat Springs, CO		Albany, GA	
Sterling, CO		Alpharetta, GA	
Summit County, CO		Cartersville, GA	19,731
Teller County, CO	23,350	Conyers, GA	15,195
Thornton, CO	118,772	Decatur, GA	19,335
Westminster, CO	106,114	McDonough, GA	22,084
Wheat Ridge, CO	30,166	Milton, GA	32,661
Windsor, CO		Peachtree City, GA	34,364
Coventry, CT		Roswell, GA	,
Hartford, CT	,	Sandy Springs, GA	
Dover, DE	,	Savannah, GA	
Rehoboth Beach, DE		Smyrna, GA	
Belleair Beach, FL		Snellville, GA	
Brevard County, FL		Suwanee, GA	
Cape Coral, FL		Valdosta, GA	,
Charlotte County, FL		Honolulu, HI	
Clearwater, FL	· ·	Ames, IA	
Collier County, FL		Ankeny, IA	
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Cooper City, FL		Bettendorf, IA	,
Coral Springs, FL		Cedar Falls, IA	
Dania Beach, FL		Cedar Rapids, IA	
Daytona Beach, FL		Davenport, IA	
Delray Beach, FL	,	Des Moines, IA	
Destin, FL		Indianola, IA	,
Escambia County, FL		Muscatine, IA	,
Eustis, FL		Urbandale, IA	
Gainesville, FL		West Des Moines, IA	
Hillsborough County, FL		Boise, ID	,
Jupiter, FL		Jerome, ID	10,890
Kissimmee, FL	59,682	Meridian, ID	
Lee County, FL	618,754	Moscow, ID	
Martin County, FL	146,318	Pocatello, ID	
Miami Beach, FL	87,779	Post Falls, ID	27,574
North Palm Beach, FL	12,015	Twin Falls, ID	44,125
Oakland Park, FL	41,363	Batavia, IL	26,045
Ocala, FL	56,315	Bloomington, IL	
Oldsmar, FL		Centralia, IL	
Oviedo, FL	,	Collinsville, IL	
Palm Bay, FL		Crystal Lake, IL	
Palm Beach County, FL		DeKalb, IL	
Palm Beach Gardens, FL		Elmhurst, IL	
Palm Coast, FL		Evanston, IL	
Panama City, FL		Freeport, IL	,
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Gurnee, IL	31,295	South Portland, ME	25,002
Highland Park, IL	,	Ann Arbor, MI	,
Lincolnwood, IL		Battle Creek, MI	
Lyons, IL		Escanaba, MI	,
Naperville, IL		Farmington Hills, MI	
Normal, IL		Flushing, MI	
Oak Park, IL	,	Gladstone, MI	
O'Fallon, IL	,	Howell, MI	
Orland Park, IL		Jackson County, MI	
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Palatine, IL	,	Kalamazoo, MI	,
Park Ridge, IL	,	Kalamazoo County, MI	
Peoria County, IL	,	Midland, MI	
Riverside, IL		Novi, MI	
Sherman, IL		Ottawa County, MI	
Shorewood, IL		Petoskey, MI	,
Skokie, IL	,	Port Huron, MI	,
Sugar Grove, IL	8,997	Rochester, MI	
Wilmington, IL	5,724	Sault Sainte Marie, MI	
Woodridge, IL	32,971	South Haven, MI	4,403
Brownsburg, IN	21,285	Village of Howard City, MI	1,808
Fishers, IN	76,794	Blue Earth, MN	3,353
Munster, IN	23,603	Carver County, MN	91,042
Noblesville, IN	51,969	Chanhassen, MN	
Abilene, KS		Dakota County, MN	
Arkansas City, KS		Duluth, MN	,
Fairway, KS		Fridley, MN	,
Garden City, KS		Hutchinson, MN	
Gardner, KS		Maple Grove, MN	
Johnson County, KS		Mayer, MN	
Lawrence, KS		Medina, MN	
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Merriam, KS	,	Minneapolis, MN	
Mission, KS	,	Olmsted County, MN	,
Olathe, KS		Scott County, MN	
Overland Park, KS	,	Shorewood, MN	
Roeland Park, KS	,	St. Louis County, MN	
Salina, KS	,	Washington County, MN	
Wichita, KS		Woodbury, MN	
Bowling Green, KY		Blue Springs, MO	· ·
Daviess County, KY	96,656	Branson, MO	
New Orleans, LA	343,829	Clay County, MO	221,939
Andover, MA		Clayton, MO	
Barnstable, MA	45,193	Ellisville, MO	9,133
Burlington, MA	24,498	Harrisonville, MO	10,019
Cambridge, MA		Jefferson City, MO	43,079
Needham, MA		Joplin, MO	
Worcester, MA		Lee's Summit, MO	
Annapolis, MD		Liberty, MO	
Baltimore, MD		Maryland Heights, MO	
Baltimore County, MD		Maryville, MO	
Dorchester County, MD		Platte City, MO	
Gaithersburg, MD		Raymore, MO	
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La Plata, MD		Richmond Heights, MO	
Montgomery County, MD		Riverside, MO	
Ocean City, MD		Rolla, MO	
Prince George's County, MD		Wentzville, MO	
Rockville, MD		Starkville, MS	
Takoma Park, MD		Billings, MT	
Saco, ME		Bozeman, MT	
Scarborough, ME	4,403	Missoula, MT	66,788

Asheville, NC	83,393	Albany, OR	50,158
Cabarrus County, NC	178,011	Ashland, OR	20,078
Cary, NC	135,234	Bend, OR	
Charlotte, NC	731,424	Corvallis, OR	54,462
Concord, NC		Eugene, OR	
Davidson, NC	,	Forest Grove, OR	
High Point, NC		Hermiston, OR	
Hillsborough, NC		Jackson County, OR	
Indian Trail, NC		Keizer, OR	
,	,	Lane County, OR	,
Kannapolis, NC			,
Mecklenburg County, NC		McMinnville, OR	
Mooresville, NC	,	Medford, OR	,
Wake Forest, NC		Multnomah County, OR	
Wilmington, NC		Portland, OR	,
Winston-Salem, NC	229,617	Springfield, OR	59,403
Wahpeton, ND	7,766	Tualatin, OR	26,054
Cedar Creek, NE	390	Borough of Ebensburg, PA	3,351
Grand Island, NE	48,520	Chambersburg, PA	20,268
La Vista, NE	15,758	Cumberland County, PA	235,406
Papillion, NE		Kutztown Borough, PA	
Dover, NH	,	Philadelphia, PA	
Lebanon, NH	,	State College, PA	
Summit, NJ	,	East Providence, RI	
Alamogordo, NM		Newport, RI	
Albuquerque, NM	,	Greer, SC	
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Bloomfield, NM		Rock Hill, SC	
Farmington, NM		Rapid City, SD	
Los Alamos County, NM		Sioux Falls, SD	
Rio Rancho, NM	,	Cookeville, TN	
San Juan County, NM		Johnson City, TN	
Carson City, NV	55,274	Morristown, TN	
Henderson, NV	•	Nashville, TN	601,222
North Las Vegas, NV	216,961	Oak Ridge, TN	29,330
Reno, NV	225,221	White House, TN	10,255
Sparks, NV	90,264	Arlington, TX	365,438
Washoe County, NV	421,407	Austin, TX	790,390
Canandaigua, NY	10,545	Benbrook, TX	21,234
Geneva, NY		Bryan, TX	
New York City, NY		Colleyville, TX	
Ogdensburg, NY		Corpus Christi, TX	
Blue Ash, OH		Dallas, TX	
Delaware, OH	,	Denton, TX	
		Duncanville, TX	
Dublin, OH			
Hamilton, OH		El Paso, TX	
Hudson, OH		Flower Mound, TX	
Kettering, OH	,	Fort Worth, TX	
Lebanon, OH		Georgetown, TX	
Orange Village, OH	3,323	Grand Prairie, TX	
Piqua, OH	20,522	Houston, TX	2,099,451
Sandusky, OH	25,793	Hurst, TX	37,337
Springboro, OH	17,409	Hutto, TX	14,698
Sylvania Township, OH		Irving, TX	
Upper Arlington, OH		La Porte, TX	
Broken Arrow, OK		League City, TX	
Edmond, OK		McAllen, TX	
Norman, OK	•	McKinney, TX	
Oklahoma City, OK		Pasadena, TX	
Stillwater, OK		Plano, TX	
Tulsa, OK	391,900	Round Rock, TX	99,00/

Rowlett, TX	E6 100
San Marcos, TX	
Shenandoah, TX	
Southlake, TX	
Sugar Land, TX	
Temple, TX	
Tomball, TX	
Watauga, TX	
Westlake, TX	
Farmington, UT	
Park City, UT	
Provo, UT	
Riverdale, UT	
Salt Lake City, UT	
Sandy, UT	
Saratoga Springs, UT	1 <i>7,7</i> 81
Springville, UT	29,466
Washington City, UT	18,761
Albemarle County, VA	98,970
Arlington County, VA	207,627
Ashland, VA	
Blacksburg, VA	
Botetourt County, VA	
Chesapeake, VA	
Chesterfield County, VA	
Fredericksburg, VA	
Hampton, VA	137.436
Hanover County, VA	
Herndon, VA	
Hopewell, VA	
James City County, VA	67 009
Lexington, VA	7 042
Lynchburg, VA	
Montgomery County, VA	
Newport News, VA	
Prince William County, VA	402.002
Purcellville, VA	
Radford, VA	
Roanoke, VA	
Spotsylvania County, VA	
Stafford County, VA	
Virginia Beach, VA	437,994

Williamsburg, VA	14,068
York County, VA	65,464
Chittenden County, VT	. 156,545
Montpelier, VT	
Airway Heights, WA	6,114
Auburn, WA	
Bellevue, WA	. 122,363
Bellingham, WA	80,885
Clark County, WA	. 425,363
Federal Way, WA	89,306
Gig Harbor, WA	7,126
Hoquiam, WA	
Kirkland, WA	48,787
Kitsap County, WA	
Lynnwood, WA	
Maple Valley, WA	22,684
Mountlake Terrace, WA	
Olympia, WA	
Pasco, WA	59,781
Redmond, WA	54,144
Renton, WA	90,927
Snoqualmie, WA	
Tacoma, WA	
Vancouver, WA	
West Richland, WA	
Woodland, WA	5,509
Columbus, WI	4,991
De Pere, WI	23,800
Eau Claire, WI	65,883
Madison, WI	. 233,209
Merrill, WI	9,661
Oshkosh, WI	66,083
Racine, WI	78,860
Wausau, WI	39,106
Wind Point, WI	1,723
Morgantown, WV	29,660
Casper, WY	55,316
Cheyenne, WY	59,466
Gillette, WY	29,087
Laramie, WY	30,816
Teton County, WY	21,294